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To: Beck, Nancy [Beck.Nancy@epa.gov]
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Subject: RE: PFAS Talking Points

Sure.

From: Beck, Nancy
Sent: Thursday, January 31, 2019 8:10 AM
To: Hanley, Mary <Hanley.Mary@epa.gov>
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Subject: FW: PFAS Talking Points

Mary,
Can we add these to the list of TPs we will give Alex so she will have them if questions come up.

Thanks!
Nancy

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From: Konkus, John
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Subject: Re: PFAS Talking Points

- We have not ruled out an MCL
- We are continuing to enforce under the clean drinking water act
- We have already taken action under TSCA and CERCLA
- We are enforcing under several different authorities
- We are targeting where we know PFOA and PFOS are

“Despite what is being reported, EPA has not finalized or publicly issued its PFAS management plan, and any information that speculates what is included in the plan is premature. The agency is committed to following the Safe Drinking Water Act process for evaluating new drinking water standards, which is just one of the many components of the draft plan that is currently undergoing interagency review.”

Background

EPA’s PFAS action plan will outline the agency’s approach to identifying and understanding PFAS exposures and addressing the PFAS challenge. The action plan is currently undergoing interagency review. EPA will be prepared to discuss the contents of the plan as soon as interagency review is complete, and the plan is public.

For more information about EPA actions to address PFAS, please visit <https://www.epa.gov/pfas/epa-actions-address-pfas>.

On Jan 31, 2019, at 8:04 AM, Beck, Nancy <Beck.Nancy@epa.gov> wrote:

Alex is getting invited to a lot of events and PFAS keeps coming up.
Are there some broad TPs from OPA and OW that she should have in the back pocket?

Many thanks!
Nancy

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